

DRAFTER'S NOTE
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Please review the attached draft carefully to ensure that it is consistent with your intent.

I note that AB-898 also creates a single trip permit for transporting buildings, but the provision in AB-898 specifically excludes these manufactured homes, manufactured buildings, and modular housing units.

To avoid confusion, the definition of manufactured home in the attached draft does not include a "mobile home." (I note that "mobile home" is not defined in the same way in ch. 340 as it is in ch. 101.)

As discussed by e-mail, I believe that DOT's current authority to issue single trip permits for transporting these manufactured homes and manufactured buildings lies under s. 348.26 (2), not s. 348.26 (4). Because DOT does have current authority and there may be existing permits circulating, I have included an initial applicability provision specifying that created s. 348.26 (4m) applies only to newly issued permits. I have also included a delayed effective date of approximately two months.

If there is a redraft of this bill, can we eliminate the term "modular housing units?" It is used only once twice in the statutes, in s. 341.25 (1) (gm), and is not defined. I assume these would be included within the definition of manufactured home or manufactured building, but am not certain.

Please let me know if you would like any changes made to the attached draft or if you have any questions. If the attached draft meets with your approval, let me know and I will convert it to an introducible "1" draft.

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